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Jeff R. Derouen  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Boulevard  
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Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

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**Re: A Certification of the Carriers Receiving Universal Service High-Cost Support, Administrative Case No. 381**

Dear Director Derouen:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter is the Affidavit of Cesar Caballero, Vice President - Regulatory Strategy for Windstream Norlight, Inc., f/k/a Cinergy Communications Company. This filing is made in accordance with the Kentucky Public Service Commission's September 27, 2002 Order in Administrative Case No. 381, which requires recipients of Federal Universal Service High-Cost Support to provide information and certification by September 1 annually regarding use of those funds.

Please contact me with any questions or if you require additional information.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Shearer

Enclosure

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COUNTY OF PULASKI :

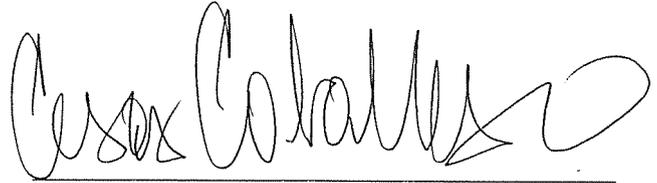
**AFFIDAVIT**

Cesar Caballero, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states as follows:

1. My name is Cesar Caballero and I am Vice President – Regulatory Strategy for Windstream Norlight, Inc., f/k/a Cinergy Communications Company. My business address is 4001 N Rodney Parham Rd., Little Rock, Arkansas, 72212.
2. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein. I am competent to testify to the facts, which are stated to the best of my knowledge and recollection.
3. Windstream Norlight, Inc. was designated an eligible telecommunications carrier by the Kentucky Public Service Commission in PSC Case No. 2004-00131 by Order dated June 14, 2004 and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (“Act”).
4. Windstream Norlight, Inc. is a common carrier and provides all services and functionalities supported by the federal universal service program as set forth in Section 214(e) of the Act and 47 CFR Section 54.101(a) of the FCC’s rules, throughout the service area for which it has ETC designation in Kentucky.
5. Windstream Norlight, Inc. files this affidavit in compliance with the Kentucky Public Service Commission’s September 27, 2002 Order in Administrative Case No. 381 in which carriers were ordered to file with the Commission their plans for use of high-cost federal support by September 1 of each year.

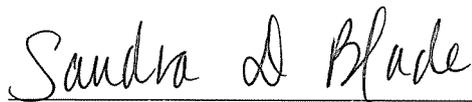
6. Windstream Norlight, Inc. certifies that all high-cost universal service support funding that it receives for Kentucky will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of the services and facilities for which the support is intended pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Act.

This concludes my affidavit.



Cesar Caballero  
Vice President – Regulatory Strategy  
Windstream Norlight, Inc.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011.



Notary Public

